

### **Amendments to the Specification**

Please replace the current *Cross-Reference to Related Application* at paragraph [0001] with the following replacement *Cross-Reference to Related Application*, new paragraph [0001]:

#### **CROSS-REFERENCE TO RELATED APPLICATION**

[0001] This application is a continuation-in-part of pending application Serial No. 09/911,228, filed July 23, 2001, now U.S. Patent No. 6,898,820, issued May 31, 2005, which is a continuation of application No. 09/589,973, filed June 8, 2000, which is a continuation in part of application Serial No. 09/133,832, filed August 13, 1998, now U.S. Patent 6,131,237, which is a continuation in part of application Serial No. 09/112,527, filed July 8, 1998, entitled UPRIGHT EXTRACTION CLEANING MACHINE, now U.S. Patent No. 6,167,587, and claims the benefit of U.S. Provisional Application Serial No. 60/055,510, filed on August 13, 1997, all of which are incorporated herein by reference in their entirety.